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SUBJECT: JORDAN'S MFA SHARES USG GOALS FOR MARCH 2
CONFERENCE

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(SBU) Pol Chief delivered on February 19 reftel demarche on USG goals for the March 2 Sharm Al-Sheikh conference to Mohammed Ensour, assistant to the Foreign Minister's private office director. Ensour commented that Jordan shared the USG goals for the conference and, in response to a Government of Egypt request, was seeking confirmation of whether Jordanian construction companies would be interested in participating in the reconstruction of Gaza. Ensour noted that the GOJ would continue to channel foreign and domestic donations to Gaza through the Hashemite Charitable Organization, adding that the GOJ was unlikely to have funds to pledge financial government assistance for Gaza.

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